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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Werner STEPRATH et al.

Application No.: New U.S. National Stage of PCT/DE2004/002170

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Docket No.: 127536

For: MANUALLY OPERATED ELECTRIC CONTROL DEVICE

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims;

**Remarks.**